

**ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME  
DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES  
NEWS RELEASE**



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Time: 3:00 p.m.

**Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement # 18  
Emergency Order: 21**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon with an announcement for Egegik and update for Ugashik District fishermen. The time is **3:00 p.m.** and the date is **Wednesday, June 27, 2012.**

**In Egegik: Catch from Tuesday's opener was 266,000; escapement was 104,000. Through June 26 cumulative catch is 504,000 and cumulative escapement is 166,000.**

**Commercial fishing will be allowed in the Egegik District with set gillnet gear beginning 6:00 p.m. Wednesday June 27 until 2:00 a.m. Thursday June 28, 2012.....an 8 hour opener. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will be allowed from 6:00 p.m. until 11:59 p.m. Wednesday June 27, 2012.....a 6 hour period.**

**In Ugashik: Catch through June 26 is 150,000, the counting tower is operational as of midnight and through 6:00 a.m. this morning 800 sockeye have passed. It is the department's intent to switch to the morning tide on Friday morning so the Ugashik fleet will stand down Thursday afternoon.**

Fishermen in Egegik and Ugashik districts should stand by at 3:00 p.m., Thursday, June 28 for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game in King Salmon.

Read on VHF 7 and SSB 2509: June 27, 2012 3:00 pm.

Connected EO's: 2F-T-21-12

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